STATE AND CONSUMER SERVICES AGENCY
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, GOVERNOR

NOTICE OF MEETING and AGENDA Communication and Public Education Committee

Date: October 2, 2008Contact: Virginia Herold

Time: 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

(916) 574-7911

Place:Department of Consumer Affairs

1625 N. Market Blvd, El Dorado Room (Suite N-220)

Sacramento, CA 95834

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Call to Order 10:30 a.m.

- 1. Ongoing Discussion of Medication Errors and How to Prevent Them
- Discussion of Comments Submitted in Response to Proposed Rule Changes to 45 CFR Part 88, Ensuring That Department of Health and Human Services Funds Do Not Support Coercive or Discriminatory Polices or Practices in Violation of Federal Law (Conscience Clauses), RIN 0991-AB48
- 3. Discussion Regarding Action to Implement SB 472, Patient-Centered Medication Container Labels
 - Report of Patient Surveys Undertaken
 - Discussion of Presentations and Agenda Planned for November 20, 2008 Forum
- 4. Update and Discussion Regarding the Consumer Fact Sheet Series with California Schools of Pharmacy Interns
- 5. Development of New Consumer Brochures by the Board
- 6. Request from PPSI to Develop Consumer Brochures
- 7. Update on The Script
- 8. Update on Public Outreach Activities
- 9. Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda*

Adjournment 1:30 p.m.

*Note: The committee may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section that is not included on this agenda, except to decide to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. [Government Code Sections 11125, 11125.7(a).]

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